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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : José Calatayud et al.  
Serial No. : 578,942  
Filed : September 7, 1990  
Title : NEW PREGNA-1, 4-DIENE-3, 20,-  
DIONE-16-17-ACETAL-21 ESTERS,  
PROCESS FOR THEIR PREPARATION,  
COMPOSITION, AND METHODS FOR  
THE TREATMENT OF INFLAMMATORY  
CONDITIONS  
Group Art Unit : 122  
Examiner : M. Grumbling  
Attorney Docket : RCS 2 001  
Hon. Commissioner of Patents  
and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

REQUEST FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

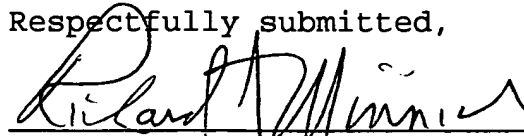
Dear Sir:

The initial period for response to the outstanding Office Action, issued July 9, 1991, expired on October 9, 1991.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, petition is hereby made for a two-month extension of time up to and including December 9, 1991, in which to respond to the Office Action. A check in the amount of \$300.00 for the extension fee is enclosed herewith.

Authorization is hereby provided to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

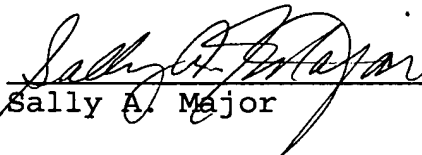


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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this Request for Extension of Time is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231, on December 9, 1991.

  
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